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CONTINUOUSLY OPERABLE SEALING CARROUSEL FOR THE
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Preliminary to examination kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Translated Specification:Page 1, ~~line 1~~, delete the paragraph reading "Description";~~above the first paragraph and below the title, insert~~-- Background of the Invention:Field of the Invention: --.Page 3, ~~above the last paragraph, insert~~-- Summary of the Invention: --.